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Case 7116-1

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Examiner: Patel, V.A.
Herbert BUSSE et al. : Group Art Unit: 3676
Serial No.: 10/615,400 : Confirmation No. 8469
Filed: July 9, 2003 :
For: LOW-FRICTION SEAL :

AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents
and Trademarks
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office action of November 9, 2004, please
amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Drawings begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.

An Appendix containing an amended drawing figure and a Substitute
Specification follows page 14 of this paper.